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GOULD'S ACADEMY

Ruth Cole spent the week end at Holden Hall.

Miss Whitman was at Holden Hall over Sunday.

Robert and William Hastings enjoyed a motor trip through the mountains on Saturday.

Ray Parker attended the wedding of Gladys Davis, '15, and Russell Swan on Monday.

Harry Young was the guest of William Hall at his home in Mechanic Falls for the week end.

Miss McQuaide visited schools in Greenwood last Wednesday and plans to visit those in East Bethel and West Bethel this week.

The Normal Department of Gould's Academy wishes to extend hearty thanks to the townspeople, merchants and students of Bethel for their help and patronage at the exhibit of Holden pictures last Thursday evening. The net proceeds of the entertainment were $23.50 and with this money, some much needed apparatus will be bought. Sand table, hectograph, paper cutter and chart marker are among the things for which this money will be used.

The Normal Class is unusually large this year, and the girls are working with great enthusiasm and earnestness. They hope to be able to co-operate with the townspeople and with the teachers of the district in every way possible and will welcome suggestions at any time. Visitors to any of the classes are always welcome.

CROSS ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

The Senior Class of Gould's Academy has engaged Prof. Geo. N. Cross to visit the Academy and give his new illustrated lecture, "America, The Lesson in Patriotism," on Thursday evening, Oct. 25, at eight o'clock, in the Assembly Room.

At three o'clock on Thursday afternoon Prof. Cross will speak to the members of the school and their friends in the Assembly Room, his subject being, "Lloyd George and His Wonderful Life Story." Prof. Cross is a highly cultured man and a very interesting speaker, as Bethel people know, and all who are interested in the most vital questions of the day are cordially invited to be present and listen to these addresses.

No admission will be charged in the afternoon. Tickets for the evening lecture can be secured of any member of the Senior Class for 25c each.

BURKE—ADKINS.

There was a quiet wedding Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Adkins of So. Paris, when their daughter, Miss Laura Esther Adkins, became the bride of Albert Ira Burke of Bethel. Only the immediate members of the two families were present. Decorations were of house plants, ferns and pinks. The bride wore a gown of blue silk and Georgette crepe, with gold embroidery and carried bride roses. The bridal couple were unattended. Rev. O. H. Newton officiated, using the double ring service.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Burke left the next morning for a trip to the White Mountains in their car, and after their return will reside on Vernon street, Bethel, where they have a home furnished ready for occupancy.

Mr. Burke is a native of Bethel, and has always resided there. He is in the business of plumbing and steam heating, with a shop at Bethel. The bride is a graduate of Paris High school in the class of 1915, and since graduation has taught for two years in the schools of Paris. She is a member of the South Paris Baptist church, has long sung in the choir, and has just resigned as teacher of a class in the Sunday school on account of her approaching marriage.

Numerous gifts in cut glass, silver, china, linen, and other things have been received.—Oxford Democrat.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy, and also for the beautiful floral tributes, during our recent bereavement.

H. A. Sweeney and Children.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Morning service at 10.45. Sunday school at 12. Evening meeting at 7.

In the morning the regular order of service will be observed, conducted by the officers of the Y. P. C. U. We hope all our people will be present to enjoy the service, and to encourage the officers and members of the Union.

The Social Six will hold their regular meeting, Saturday afternoon.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Choir rehearsal with Mrs. Mansfield this Wednesday evening.

Sunday morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Subject of the sermon, "Hasten Slowly." Sunday school at 12.

Mid-week service, Tuesday evening at 7.30.

The Boy Scouts meet at the Chapel tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 5 o'clock to get their bills for the Second Liberty Loan and their assignment of territory. The emblems for the soliciting winners in the First Loan have been received.

At 7.30, Thursday evening, there will be a Christian Endeavor social in the chapel. Refreshments will be served. All invited. Admission five cents.

There will be a special collection at the C. E. service next Sunday evening to promote temperance among our soldier boys. We would be glad for any interested in this movement to give through our C. E. Society. Prof. Hanscom will lead the service.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Straw, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

HARVEST FAIR AND HARVEST SUPPER.

At Methodist Church, Bethel, Thursday, October 18.

This year we may rightly call our Harvest Fair and Supper a patriotic occasion, for it would meet Mr. Hoover's approval. As usual vegetables and fruits are given a prominent place. We planted our gardens, last spring, as he told us to do, and now we invite you to come and partake of the results of our labors. Of course you will show some of your patriotism by accepting the invitation.

Perhaps your own garden will not supply all your needs. Just come down and see if you cannot find what you want on our vegetable table.

It is a wise saying that "time is money." In these days time is more than money—it is patriotism. Instead of making the apron you need, get it at our apron table, and spend the time you would use in making it in knitting on that sweater or sewing on garments for the soldiers.

Our harvest supper is at 6:15. It is not a meatless one, for we shall have meat to make the vegetables more hearty and appetizing. Please remember that we serve both meat and vegetables, besides many other good things, for thirty-five cents. Mr. Hoover urges economy, and this time the economy is on your side. Be economical, and take advantage of this great supper bargain. You cannot find such bargains every day, with meat so high. Our harvest supper needs no description. And do not forget that "P" stands for "Patriotism" and also for "Pumpkins," and that "Pumpkin" mean gardens. That's why "Pumpkins" means "Patriotism." Come and partake of our abundance, and save your bread for another meal. This may not be absolutely a wheatless supper, but wheat will not be "the staff of life" at this meal. Come and see how well you can do without it.

Ice cream will probably be on sale, and you can afford it, as you will get a fifty cent supper for thirty five cents.

Remember the day. Thursday afternoon and evening of this week.

BRYANT'S POND.

Bryant's Pond Parent Teacher Association met in the high school room, Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, and elected officers and committees for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Homer Crooker; Vice President, Rev. H. H. Stover; Secretary, Mrs. Homer Crooker; Treasurer, Dr. R. P. Willard. Committees: Education, Harold Gammon; Social, Mrs. Gertrude DeShon; School Improvement, J. M. Day; Legislative, O. W. Q. Perham; Press, Ralph M. Bates. A short program, consisting of victrola selections and recitations by pupils of the grammar school was carried out. Supt. M. C. Joy and wife of South Paris were present. Mr. Joy gave a general outline of the Parent-Teacher Associations and what they were supposed to accomplish.

SCHOOL NOTES

Appreciating that the West Bethel Fair furnished the girls and boys who attended it a splendid subject for a descriptive writing, I proposed to the schools from which pupils attended the Fair that descriptions of it be written, given to their teacher, that the teacher select the writing she regarded best, sending it to me, that I select the one which seemed to me best and offer it to the Citizen for printing, giving the names of the pupils whose writings had been sent in to represent their schools; these will be mentioned in the order in which they were ranked.

I called upon Miss Pratt and Mr. Small of Gould's Academy, and Miss Merrill of the Citizen office, to assist me in judging. We were unanimous in the opinion that the writings should be ranked as follows, with the exception to be mentioned later:

1st, Grace E. J. Bennett, age 13; grade 9, Gilead school; Mrs. Edna Wheeler, teacher.

2nd, Alice L. Mundt, age 12; grade 8, West Bethel Flat school; Miss Eva Bartlett, teacher.

3rd or 4th, Ruth Verrill, age 12; grade 8, West Bethel school; Miss Jennie E. Bean, teacher.

4th or 5th, Celestine Flint, age 13; grade 8, Bethel village grammar school; Miss Alice M. Lane, teacher.

3rd, 4th or 5th, Roy Davis, age 10; grade 6, Bethel village intermediate school; Miss Alice M. Cross, teacher.

6th, Gertrude Chapman, age 11, grade 6, Northwest Bethel school; Miss Lillian Corbett, teacher.

7th, Alberta M. Stearns, age 10; grade 4, Bethel village 2nd primary school; Miss Evangeline Atherton, teacher.

8th, Lillie Baker, age 9; grade 5, Mason school; Miss Margie Jordan, teacher.

9th, Everett Merrill, grade 2, Bethel 1st primary school; Miss Ethel J. Philbrick, teacher.

While the last few writers listed were not of an age to put them in the same class with the others, their honor comes in being chosen as the representatives of their rooms, or schools.

The exception referred to was the difference of opinion, or uncertainty, as to how to rank the writing of Roy Davis. All were agreed that it did not have the excellence of form of the four writings mentioned before it, but Roy saw so much, ate so much and evidently had such a general good and profitable time that the spirit of his writing gave it an unusual strength. Two judges, considering the doubtful writings mainly on their general power of description, thought Roy's writing might be ranked third; others felt that it might be fourth, or tied for fourth place, but in the dilemma, I think it will be a good exercise if the teacher of each school will read before it, when the writings arrive, those of Ruth Verrill, Celestine Flint and Roy Davis, voting as 3, 4 and 5 the ones they think should come in that order, the teachers doing the same, keeping their votes separate from the pupils. The result will be announced when secured.

It is a high honor for Roy to have his writing placed in competition with the best writings from the village grammar school and the West Bethel school, especially since both are eminently creditable.

The winning description follows, printed as written as to spelling, capitalization and punctuation.

W. E. Bentcoler,
Supt. of Public Schools.

"THE WEST BETHEL FAIR."

Grace E. J. Bennett, Gilead School.

There was a fair held at West Bethel Tuesday Sept. 25th. Many people attended. Some came by auto, some by train, and others came with their teams. There were many cars of all colors, sizes, and makes.

Four of the West Bethel girls sold Red Cross tags. They were dressed in white with a red band around their left arm, and a Red Cross on their white caps. The girls were Mildred McInnis, Laura Hutchinson, Doris Ordway and Libbie Goodridge.

There were many beautiful things in the exhibition hall. Among these were several kinds of fruit, vegetables, also many cans of preserves.

Some hand painted pictures were brought by Mrs. Maud O'rilly.

There was one twin cucumber brought by Abner Kimball it was brown in color.

Many pretty quilts and, much fancy work were exhibited. Most of it being made by the ladies of West

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BETHEL INN

Happenings of the Week

William Fuller was a dinner guest at the Inn on Saturday night.

Mr. Frank S. Povey, Mrs. F. W. Lee, Miss Povey and Miss Alice Povey of Lowell, Mass., made their annual trip through the mountains last week and spent the week end at the Inn.

Mr. John L. Bauer and wife, accompanied by five young people from Brooklyn, N. Y., reached Bethel on the 11th. They are motoring through the mountains, Dixville being their next stop.

Rev. and Mrs. John W. Suter of Boston left for home Tuesday after a week at the Inn. Although the weather has not been the best, they enjoyed their stay and spoke highly of the Inn and surrounding country.

On Saturday, Mrs. S. Onderdonk and Miss Boynton arrived by motor for the week end. Mrs. Onderdonk was at the Inn for some months last year and since then has returned many times for short visits as she became very fond of Bethel and the Inn, and made many warm friends here.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The Bethel Red Cross Auxiliary has received the following letter:

AMERICAN RED CROSS
New England Division
755 Boylston Street
Boston, Mass.
October 15, 1917.

To Chapters and Auxiliaries-at-Large:

The American Red Cross is planning to send to every man in our Army and Navy a Christmas Bag. A. R. C. 404 gives you a description of this present, and we are asking your chapter to be responsible to supply 135 of the Christmas Bags.

At least one-third of your quota must be shipped to the Red Cross Bureau of Supplies, 142 Berkley Street, Boston, not later than November 10th for the men in foreign service; the balance by December 10th. These presents are to be donated to all men in our service by the American Red Cross and individuals are earnestly requested to make no individual presents to men resembling the Red Cross gifts. It is planned to have a Christmas tree at all cantonments and it is hoped that all chapters will urge their members to cooperate with us to make Christmas Day a pleasant one for our men.

James Jackson, Division Manager.

Major General Pershing has written of these Christmas Bags: "They make the soldier remember that the people are behind him. You do not know how much that means to any soldier who is carrying the flag of his country."

The Bethel Red Cross Auxiliary asks the help of loyal people in making their quota. The khaki handkerchiefs used in wrapping the gifts can be had at the Red Cross rooms within a few days. Contributions of money, or articles, or fully packed bags most gratefully received.

We can but believe that there are many among us who will wish to ease the burden on their own hearts and lighten a bit the burden on the hearts of others by helping in this way to make Christmas a brighter day for our men across the sea and those not yet gone out from our own camps.

Lists of articles suggested for Christmas packets: Envelopes, pencil, postals, book (in paper cover), scrap book (home-made containing a good short story, some jokes, etc.), knife such as Boy Scouts use, mirror (steel), neckties, mouth organ, electric torch, compass, playing cards, mechanical puzzles, other games, tobacco, pipe and pipe cleaners, cigarette papers, water-tight match box, chewing gum, fruited, chocolate and other sweetened crackers in original packages, fruit cake, preserved ginger, salted nuts, prunes, figs, dates, raisins, hard candy, chocolate in tinfoil, licorice.

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GRANGE NEWS

CANTON GRANGE.

At Canton Grange meeting Saturday, A. F. Russell acted as Master in the absence of C. F. Tripp. Resolutions were read on the death of Enoch Childs. The Lecturer presented the following program: Music, choir; reading, "Columbus," Mrs. Wm. A. Lucas; the subject, "Co-operation," was discussed by several members; poem, "Co-operation," Mrs. Persis Adams; music, choir; readings, Mrs. Estella C. Briggs and Alphonso F. Russell. An interesting speech was made by Dr. A. L. Stanwood on the war question and about the soldiers. Mr. Stanwood has several sons who have just arrived across the water safely, and he has joined the Medical Reserve Corps and was in Canton to see his many friends before leaving the State.

ALDER RIVER GRANGE.

Alder River Grange, No. 145, held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, Oct. 10. Officers present: Worthy Master, Overseer, Lecturer, Assistant Steward, Secretary, Gate Keeper and Ceres. Literary program:

"The farmer's discouragements," — Mrs. Etta Bean
Encore, "Aunt Shaws pet jug."
Selected reading in interest of Liberty Loan, — Guy Bartlett
Clipping, — Mrs. L. C. Bartlett
Selected reading, "What woman is doing for the war," — Mrs. May E. Kimball

Question: "Resolved, That Woman should be given equal suffrage with the men," opened by Guy Bartlett, discussed by L. E. Cole, H. E. Bartlett, Mrs. Etta Bean and others, with a good lecture on the subject by the Worthy Lecturer

Paper on seed saving and program for next meeting read by Worthy Lecturer, when the same question will be further discussed.

BETHEL GRANGE.

Bethel Grange, No. 56, held its regular meeting Thursday evening, Oct. 11. The ladies served a chicken supper to the members and their families and everyone enjoyed a pleasant social time.

Worthy Master Bartlett called the meeting to order at 8 o'clock. The business session was quite short and the Lecturer presented the following program:

Opening Song,	Choir
Roll Call,	Quotations, Clippings
Item of Interest,	Levi Bartlett
Clipping,	Ida Packard
Clipping,	Clara Grover
Item of Interest,	Daisy Philbrook
Clipping,	Ella Lyon
Reading,	Pauline Mason

Question: "What are some of the good old fashioned customs we are the poorer for having lost?" — Discussed by all

Reading, — Herman Mason

Question: "Will Woman Suffrage prove the greatest blessing or the greatest disgrace to the country?" Discussed by Herman Mason, Levi Bartlett, Pauline Mason

Reading,	Florence Upton
Closing Song,	Choir

Closed in form. Next meeting Oct. 25. Supper served at 6.30.

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BOY SCOUTS TO AID IN 2nd LIBERTY LOAN.

The full resources and strength of the Boy Scouts of America have been pledged for an intensive campaign from October 20th to the 25th in the sale of Liberty Loan bonds. President Colin H. Livingstone of the Boy Scouts of America has given this pledge to the Treasury Department and to the Liberty Loan Committee in each city.

President Wilson, in addition to his letter urging the Boy Scouts "to take a definite part in this practical method of giving expression to your Scout obligation of service to our country," has offered a flag to the troop in each state having the best record for service in the sale of the bonds.

The Bethel troop, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Fred J. Tibbetts, will meet in Garland Memorial Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock to make arrangements and plans for a house to house canvas throughout the town during next week. Other troops in Oxford County are being organized for a similar campaign by Charles L. Pollard, the special National Field Scout Commissioner for this region.

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines, 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

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SAVE MONEY WHEN YOU CAN IS OUR MOTTO.

The following:

30c Excelsior Coffee,	28c
35c Whitehouse Coffee,	33c
50c tea, 1 lb.,	45c
70c tea, 1 lb.,	65c
Onions, lb.,	4½c
Last call for Preserving Pears, Peck,	50c

BETHEL FRUIT STORE.

Watch for prices every week.

The Citizen Office has a well equipped plant and solicits your printing.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our gratitude and appreciation of the kindly spirit and noble heartedness so generally shown during the long sickness and death of our darling mother, not only of those who have so willingly assisted but also of those who would have willingly done so if there had been aught for them to do. We also wish to thank all who sent flowers and other things to help brighten her suffering days, also flowers for the funeral. We especially wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Trueman for singing our mother's favorite hymn, "Meet Me There," also for the words of comfort spoken by Mr. Trueman the pastor of the M. E. church. Miss Mary Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates did everything they could to help care for and to help brighten the last days of our dear one and we feel that the Father above will bless them for their kindness. The flowers were a pillow with the word, "Mother," from the family, a large wreath; a wreath, Mrs. L. J. McAllister; pinks, Miss Mary Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cates; a basket of pansies, Mr. Zenas Merrill; a spray of sweet peas and asters, Gertrude Brown.

Mrs. Fannie Briggs,
Mrs. Rose Strickland,
Mrs. Eva McAllister,
Mr. Fred Wheeler,
Mrs. Alice Spofford,
Mrs. Daisy McAllister.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1917.

NORWAY

The school in the Crockett Ridge district has been given a parcel of land by Albert Richardson, which is being fixed up for an athletic field for the scholars, who, with the aid of their parents are doing the work.

Fred Gregg has opened a lunch counter in the Howe block, recently vacated by Antolini, the fruit dealer.

Arthur Parker has moved his family from the Danforth street Tubbs rent to Bath, where he has been employed for the past six months.

The deaths of two well known Norway people have occurred since Saturday morning. Frank A. Danforth died Saturday in Washington, D. C. while en route to Southern Pines, N. C., and Mrs. Harriet Millett, the oldest woman in Norway died at her home here Sunday morning.

The Webb Packing Co. are busy packing apples

The Debating club of the High school have elected their officers for the present year as follows: President, Arthur Bartlett, '18; secretary, Miss Adeline DeForter, '18. Many interesting debates are planned for the winter.

During the past week the French students of the High school were privileged to listen to Dr. Paul of Portland, instructor of French in that city. The work in both the first and second year classes was taken up, he method being the direct, which is used in the high school.

Cecil Burns, who was admitted to the Oxford Bar, Tuesday, has opened an office for the practice of law, occupying the office of A. P. [illegible] Mr. Burns graduated from Norway High school class of '12, and from the University of Maine College of Law, at Bangor, in '17.

Mrs. [illegible] and children who have been occupying one of the [illegible] rents, corner Main and [illegible] streets, have packed their household goods and returned to Worcester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Curtis were called to Houlton, Thursday morning on account of the illness of their daughter, Mildred Curtis.

Jacob Klain finished work for the Oxford Light Company, and resumed his studies at Colby last week.

Mrs. George P. Locke, who has been the guest of relatives in Bethel for the past three weeks, has returned home, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Arthur Richardson. Mrs. Henry Hastings also of Bethel, is a guest while court is in session.

Donald W. Rice, son of William Rice, who recently bought the Freeland Howe stand, had the misfortune to break his right forearm when cranking his auto, when ready to return home from the North Waterford fair and dance.

Frank Cousin of East Hebron is attending High school, and stops with his aunt, Mrs. Orin Stone.

Howard Evirs has gone to the University of Maine, where he will take a course in electrical engineering.

Hugh Bethell is the new bookkeeper at the Novelty Turning Company. Mr. Bethell is a graduate of Bliss Business College and has been in charge of the credit department at Cushman & Hollis shoe factory office, Auburn.

Francis Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. Andrews, received word to report at Ayer, Mass., and left to enter the Signal Corps in the Wireless and Telegraph department.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Drake, and Mrs. Cora Hayden left Thursday morning for Manchester, Mass., for an extended stay, having closed their [illegible] for the present.

A school of instruction will be held at Masonic Hall, Friday, October 19, under the direction of the grand lecturer, [illegible]. The school [illegible] at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and continue through the day. A banquet will be served at [illegible] and at [illegible] a special communication of [illegible] Lodge No. 16, F. and A. M. will be held.

The marriage of Miss Ann [illegible] and Thomas [illegible] took place Saturday [illegible] at the [illegible] of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Chester G. Miller, So. Paris, pastor of the Universalist church. The impressive double ring service was used.

Special town meeting called out a fair number Saturday afternoon. It was voted to purchase a Rotary road sweeper from the city of Portland, and the money to be taken from the contingent fund.

Two cables were received Friday from members of Company D, that they were safe on the other side, and all were well.

Mrs. Annie Cruze, who has been spending the summer with her daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Irwin K. Moorehouse, will leave shortly for Beaumont, Texas, for the winter.

Mrs. Sabrina Lassell and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, moved from their farm at Norway Lake to the village, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Curtis returned from Houlton, Saturday morning accompanied by their daughter, Miss Mildred, who has been granted a six weeks' leave of absence from her school to recover her health.

B. Franklin Faunce and family of Pittsburg, Pa., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Faunce, Pleasant street.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson and daughter, Miss Maude, left for Philadelphia, Saturday, going as far as Portland by auto, Henry Hosmer, chauffeur, brought the car back for storage. After spending a few days at their home in Philadelphia, they will go to Southern Pines for the winter.

O. M. Cummings was in Portland, Saturday, and called on his granddaughter, Mrs. Grace Rowe, at Falmouth Foreside.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Perry and Miss Adelaide Shattuck of Norway Lake were guests of Mrs. Linnie R. Bartlett at The Farm, Friday.

Guy Carter of Revere, Mass., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carter.

Mrs. George Skillings of Bolster's Mills visited her mother, Mrs. Flora R. Stearns, last week.

Leslie Gibson and Hugh Pendexter, Jr., were home from Bowdoin for the week end.

E. A. Gary and family, who have been living for the past seven months in the French house at North Norway, have [illegible] to Oxford.

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START YOUR PULLETS LAYING NOW.

By G. E. Conkey.

With the coming of October, spring hatched birds, especially leghorns and other light weight breeds, should be in their winter quarters. Pullets should now be showing signs of starting to lay and if you neglect or are careless with them at this time you will delay their laying for weeks and it may even seriously affect their usefulness during the early months of winter.

House your pullets right and give them the proper care—pullets are naturally good winter layers and under the right conditions will lay reasonably early, help pay the feed bill, and still be none the worse for it.

Make up your mind to do the thing right this year and don't let bad weather catch you unprepared. First of all, make sure you have enough room for your flock and then after you have everything in shape move the birds into their new quarters. Give the house a good whitewashing, make necessary repairs and wash the windows so that plenty of light and sunshine will come in. Light and sunshine are wonderful aids to good health, and vigorous red-blooded hens and pullets are the only kind that will lay during winter weather.

Cloth-covered openings should have new cloth or at least the cloth should be washed, for after a season's use the pores of the goods are sure to be filled with dust. Cover the floor with a good generous litter and when you feed scatter the grain in it so that the birds will have to take plenty of exercise. Birds must have exercise to keep them in good health.

Always remember that overcrowding is dangerous and is an expensive proposition. If you cannot house all the birds you have it will pay you to dispose of the less desirable ones. With fewer birds you can give them better care and make them more comfortable. You will have less of an expenditure for feed and at the same time you will find that these fewer and better birds will produce more eggs than the larger flock that was working under a disadvantage due to overcrowded conditions.

If you have taken your pullets off their range supply them with green feed, and it will probably be advisable to give animal matter more freely. If birds are not taken off the range you can continue giving them the same ration as they have been getting. A little variation in feeding, however, is always appreciated, therefore give them as wide a range of the grains as possible.

Once a day give the birds as much greens as they will eat; there is no danger of giving too much. Sprouted oats have become very popular for poultry feeding but such vegetables as cabbage and beets are fine for the birds. When other greens fail you can always depend on sprouted oats.

In a complete or balanced ration for your birds, animal food is just as important as the green feed. Usually this is supplied in the form of beef scrap, fish scrap, or green bone, but you will find that sour milk gives this class of food in a form extremely palatable to the birds and one that they will clean up eagerly. Where buttermilk or sour milk is a wonderful feed for chicks and one that cannot be approached in value by any other feed it is well to remember that it is likewise good for older birds and for pullets that are about to stand the strain of laying.

Have hoppers containing a good dry mash in front of the birds all the time so that they can help themselves, or feed them a slightly moistened mash once a day. You will find this almost indispensable in feeding pullets or laying stock. Following is a simple formula which contains ingredients easily obtained and which will answer very nicely:

100 lbs. Cornmeal
100 lbs. Bran
50 lbs. Ground Oats
50 lbs. Middlings
50 lbs. Beef Scrap

Then add 5 lbs. Ground Bone, 3 lbs. Fine Charcoal, 1 2 lb. Salt to each 100 lbs. of the mixture.

If you are feeding milk, 25 lbs. beef scrap will be sufficient.

A very good grain mixture is composed of equal parts, by measure, of Wheat, Oats, and Cracked Corn. A little Kaffir Corn, Barley, Millet Seed and Buckwheat will add to the variety and if prices will allow they should be included. At present wheat prices, wheat may be omitted and the ration still be well balanced. Wherever possible give feed in the litter and always regulate the amount so that the birds will be kept busy most of the time trying to earn their feed. While there are no rules to cover exercise and feeding and you must depend on your own judgment remember that the amount of exercise that your birds get will depend on how you feed the grain and how much you give at a feeding.

In conclusion, our word of advice is to start your pullets laying while weather conditions are still favorable. Give them as good a start as you can.

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Groveton has three CHURCHES—Methodist, Episcopal, aand Roman Catholic, and Christian Science services are also held weekly.

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OUR SCHOOLS are of the best, with college graduates in charge of the High School, which is on the approved list of the state schools, and with Normal-trained teachers in the Grades. Seldom has a village of this size two such fine school buildings. The one on the corner of Main and Church streets, built about eight years ago at a cost of thirty thousand dollars, is now used for the six lower Grades, while the new building, just completed, at a cost of forty thousand, was opened this fall for the use of the High School and the seventh and eighth Grades.

The town has a National Federal Reserve Bank, Opera House, Newspaper, Electric Lights, Telephone, Modern Water and Sewer Systems, and on most of the streets granolith sidewalks have been laid, more being added every year. Many shade trees and well-kept lawns add to the beauty of the village.

Here is also located the large Pulp and Paper plant of the Odell Manufacturing Company. The Company employs about four hundred men and women. They are paying the highest rate of wages, and are running the paper and sulphite mills on three eight-hour shifts, with nine hours for the day workers. Owing to labor troubles prevailing here since May, there is now an opportunity for a number of good, reliable men who will come here and settle, to find employment in several departments of the mill.

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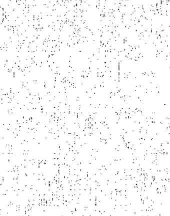
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Corn Meal Bread.

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Potato Bread.

Three pounds of boiled peel
toes, 2 1-4 pounds of bread
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salt, 4 tablespoons lukewarm
2 yeast cakes.

Wash, boil, peel, and ma
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Nut Bread.

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"WAR BREADS" FOR MAINE.

Write for Extension Circular No. 28.

Recipes for Corn Meal Yeast Bread, Potato Yeast Bread, Nut Bread, Rye Biscuit, Rolled Oats Muffins, Molasses Corn Cake and many others in the New Circular prepared by Home Economics Extension Service, University of Maine.

"WAR BREADS" is the title of Home Economics Extension Circular No. 28, recently issued by the University of Maine Extension Service. It is "full up" with bread recipes which will make it easy for the housewives to prepare for Wednesday and Thursday, the days upon which the Food Administration has asked that we eat no white bread. Copy of the circular may be obtained free from the Extension Department, University of Maine, Orono, Maine. The recipes given below are taken from the circular. Use these until you receive your copy. Make every Wednesday and Thursday white-bread-less days.

Corn Meal Bread.

Three cups corn meal, 6 cups bread flour, 3 cups liquid (1-2 milk, 1-2 water), 1 yeast cake, 3 tablespoons shortening, 3 tablespoons sugar, 4 1-2 teaspoons salt.

Measure salt, sugar, and shortening into bread mixer or mixing bowl. Boil the water and scald the milk and pour over the other ingredients keeping out 1-4 cup of the water in which to soften the yeast. When this water is lukewarm soften the yeast in it and add this and the corn meal to the mixture in the bowl. Beat thoroughly. Gradually work in the bread flour until the dough is of such consistency that it does not stick to the hand. Cover tightly and let it rise until it doubles in bulk. Then knead until the dough is fine grained, mold into loaves and put in greased pans and let rise again. When the loaves have doubled in bulk the pans should be well filled. Bake in a moderately hot oven 50 to 60 minutes. Remove from pans and cool.

If a yeast cake is combined with hot water the leavening power is lost.

Potato Bread.

Three pounds of boiled peeled potatoes, 2 1-4 pounds of bread flour, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1 1-2 tablespoons salt, 4 tablespoons lukewarm water, 2 yeast cakes.

Wash, boil, peel, and mash thoroughly about 12 medium sized potatoes. Let them cool until lukewarm. Rub the yeast smooth in 4 tablespoonfuls lukewarm water and add to the potato. Then add the salt, sugar, and 1 cup of the flour. Mix thoroughly—do not add any more water. Set to rise in a warm place. When light the dough will have become soft and moist. Add the remainder of the flour and knead until smooth and elastic. Set the dough to rise again until trebled in volume. Then cut into four parts, mold into loaves, put into greased pans, and set to rise until doubled in size. Bake for 50 minutes in an oven of good, steady heat. This amount makes four one-pound loaves of bread.

Nut Bread.

Three cups flour, 1-2 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 cup nut meats cut in small pieces.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the milk and well beaten egg, and mix thoroughly, then add the nut meats. Turn into a well greased pan and let rise one half hour in a warm place. Bake three quarters of an hour in a moderate oven.

Rye Biscuit.

One cup rye meal, 1 cup flour, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons cream tartar, 2 teaspoons shortening, liquid to make a soft dough.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Work in the shortening, and add the liquid. Turn on a floured board and pat lightly until about 1-2 inch thick. Shape with a biscuit cutter, place in a greased pan, and bake in a hot oven 15 minutes.

Rolled Oats Muffins.

One cup rolled oats, 1 cup flour, 1-4 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons cream tartar, 2 tablespoons melted shortening, 1 cup milk.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients; add gradually milk, well beaten egg, and melted shortening. Bake in greased muffin tins in a hot oven 25 minutes.

Note: All measurements are level.

Molasses Corn Cake.

One cup corn meal, 3-4 cup flour, 3 1-2 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-4 cup molasses, 3-4 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon melted shortening.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add milk and molasses, egg and melted shortening. Beat well and pour into a greased pan. Bake in a hot oven for 25 minutes.

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ALBANY.

The many friends of Nina Allen are glad to have her home again. She was operated on for appendicitis a number of weeks ago and the time spent in the hospital seemed much longer than when spent on a pleasure trip. Her mother accompanied her, visiting relatives in Portland.

H. I. Bean, who was drawn as juryman, is attending court at So. Paris.

Word has been received that Herbert R. Bean has arrived safely in France.

The Ladies' Circle met at the vestry last Friday with a good attendance. After the usual baked bean supper the following program was given:

Piano Solo,	Hazel Wardwell
Recitation,	Ida McNally
Instrumental Duet,	Myrtle Beckler, Jennie Bean
Recitation, encore,	Miss Grace Pembroke
Concert Recitation,	Five little girls
Solo, encore,	Jennie Bean
Reading, encore,	Miss Constance Ruggles
Tableau,	Two Flower Girls
Recitation,	Edna Bean
Reading,	Jennie Bean

The next Circle is to be held the 26th of October and the annual harvest supper will be served. Everybody invited.

Artemus Grover of Oxford was a week end visitor of his brother, Wm. Grover.

Arthur Andrews has sold his farm.

L. H. Holmes of Waterford has hired Harry McNally's house, where he will live for the winter and haul pulp wood for Fred Littlefield.

Mrs. Edgar Andrews is visiting her son, L. J. Andrews, and other relatives in Albany.

Mr. Forest Churchill shot a nice buck deer recently.

Miss Minnie McKeen has been keeping house for her cousin, Mrs. Kesisten, who has been visiting friends at So. Paris.

Wm. Grover and Seth Holmes are hauling spool stock to Bethel for Eben Barker.

Chas. Marshall, Arthur Andrews, Ernest Paine and Carlton Saunders are on a hunting trip at Wild River.

The Ladies' Missionary meeting met with Mrs. Maud Bean, Wednesday evening.

Say you saw it in the Citizen.

CANTON

A. H. Adams is on a hunting trip to Bigelow.

Pinewood Camp is closed for the season. Upwards of 400 guests have been entertained at this camp and at Bluemont Inn, Andover, the past summer.

Mrs. J. K. Forhan has been visiting her son in North Billerica, Mass., and took home her little grandchild who has been here for a few weeks.

Miss Frances Abbott spent the week end with relatives at Bethel.

Miss Lida Abbott is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. Smith.

Mrs. Belle Nulty of Buckfield spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Bicknell, and family.

Miss Ada Bonney has returned to her studies at Bates College.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Richardson and two sons, Miss Mary P. Richardson and Miss Wilma Davenport have been spending a week in Portland, Boston and Rochester, N. H., making the trip by auto.

Gustavus Hayford of Oquossoc has been a guest of his daughter, Mrs. George H. Johnson, bringing down a large deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Bonney of Lewiston have been guests of his sister, Mrs. S. A. Childs, and family.

Mrs. John Briggs has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Briggs of Auburn and found them both improving in health.

George Lavorgna is now stationed at Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. Sarah E. Reynolds has returned home from Portland.

Mrs. Winnifred F. Roberts recently was piano soloist of the Chaucer Club of Livermore Falls.

Mrs. Amanda Foster, who submitted to a surgical operation at the C. M. G. Hospital, is getting along finely.

George Hayes of Auburn and Mrs. Emma H. Mooney of East Boston have been guests of their brother, Erastus Hayes, and wife.

Ned Russell of Medford Mass., has been a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Russell.

Mrs. Albert J. Curran and family have moved to Rumford.

Guy F. Boothby is improving in health and able to be out.

Danville Gammon of Farmington, N. H., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Packard.

A. S. Morse, who is teaching in Dover, N. H., was at home over Sunday.

Ethel W. Russell is spending her vacation at her home in town.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Morse, Mrs. E. H. Hollis and Miss Maude Ellis attended the reception given to Dr. W. E. Gould at Livermore, Wednesday evening.

Katherine and Emma Abbott of Peru have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. M. A. Smith.

Ansel Ellis, Chas. Hollis, Clare and Arthur John and Carl Small, the Junior Volunteers from Canton, have returned home.

Mrs. J. N. Hill and John H. Peck of Laconia, N. H., have been guests of F. H. Woodward and family, making the trip by auto. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward returned home with them for a visit.

The annual roll call of Ponemah Rebekah Lodge was held Friday evening with a good attendance. The members answered to their names by giving quotations, readings, music, etc. Refreshments were served at the close.

Mrs. A. S. Bicknell, who went to Chesterville to stop with her father during the absence of Mrs. Foster, has been taken ill and is confined to her bed, a trained nurse being in attendance.

Dr. A. L. Stanwood of Rumford was in town, Saturday, to bid farewell to his Canton friends before leaving with the Volunteer Reserve Medical Corps.

Mrs. Guy F. Boothby has received word of the death of her brother, Ralph Wording, who enlisted in a Canadian regiment about two years ago. Mr. Wording died from the result of wounds.

Rally Day was observed at the Universalist church, Sunday, special music being furnished.

Arnold Hackett, a former Canton boy, who belongs to the 55th Aerial Squad, stationed at Hempstead, N. Y., expects to leave for France before many weeks.

Edna F. Dingley of North Attleboro, Mass., has been a guest at the home of C. E. Mendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Squires of Campello, Mass., have been guests of her cousin, Mrs. John N. Foye. They have been on a bridal trip through the White Mountains.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will be entertained Thursday at the G. A. R. Hall by Mrs. Violet Dyment.

EAST SUMNER.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Robinson of Arlington Heights, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll H. Fields of Bristol, N. H., have returned to their homes after a week's visit with friends and relatives here. Carl M. Stephens returned with his uncle, Mr. Fields, for a few days' visit at Bristol, N. H.

The W. R. C. will hold a sale, supper and entertainment at the Grange Hall, Oct. 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harlen have closed their house and will spend the winter with relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Lakin supplied at the Baptist church, Sunday. She gave a very interesting discourse from Isaiah.

Mrs. L. A. Keene called on her niece, Mrs. C. A. Bonney, Sunday.

Union Grange met Saturday for an all day meeting. Not as large a number present as usual as the men were very busy harvesting. Oct. 27 will be Harvest Day and it is hoped there will be a large number of exhibits in farm produce, also fancy work. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bonney, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Bradeen, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tucker, dinner committee for next meeting.

Esther Eastman spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eastman.

Agnes Heald, Norma Heald and Elva Woodard attended Grange meeting here Saturday.

Minnie Sewell has finished work for Mrs. L. M. Buck at Buckfield and is assisting Mrs. O. E. Turner.

Misses Elsie and Hazel Palmer have employment at New Haven, Conn.

Tolman Bonney is at work for R. G. Stephens.

Mrs. Gertie Russell is in poor health.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mr. W. E. Bosserman was in Portland, Monday.

Mr. Wm. Bingham has purchased the Channing Grover place.

Miss Edith Morse was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kilborn went to Portland, Sunday, to spend a few days.

Mrs. Jack Carter left for Boston, Monday, where she will spend the winter.

Dr. Wilber Yates of Woodfords was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. E. L. Arno, last week.

Miss Florence Carter of Portland spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ella Carter.

Come down and eat your harvest supper amid the stars and stripes on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sawin and son, Glyndon, were guests of relatives at West Bethel, Sunday.

Miss Carrie Hastings of Washington, D. C., is spending a few weeks at the Hastings homestead.

Mr. Jack Carter returned to Lancaster, N. H., Monday, after spending the week end at his home.

Mr. T. F. Hastings has closed his camp at Songo Pond and returned to his home on Broad street.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. F. S. Chandler last week and the next meeting will be held Nov. 6.

Miss Gladys Spearrin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Spearrin, in Milan, N. H.

Mrs. E. R. Davis of Leominster, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Smith, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Spearrin and Mr. Bean of Milan, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Forbes, Friday.

Mr. Harold Rollins returned Monday from Christmas Cove, where he has spent the summer with Dr. Gehring.

Mrs. Thomas Taylor and Miss Lillian Hoy of Milan, N. H., were week end guests of Mr. F. L. Edwards and family.

The "biled vittles" will taste better than ever this year. We would like to see you all at the harvest supper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker and daughter, May, of Hanover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hastings, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hobbs of Worcester, Mass., were guests of Misses Susie and Florence Twitchell last week.

Mrs. E. A. Barker went to Portland, Monday, to attend the Rebekah Assembly as a delegate from Sunset Rebekah Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wight and son, Royden, of Milan, N. H., were guests of Dr. I. H. Wight and family the first of the week.

The Military Whist last Friday night was a very enjoyable affair and about twenty five dollars was made for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Lucinda S. Edwards, who has been spending several weeks with relatives and friends in town, returned to Boston, Tuesday.

Mr. Robert Wormell and family motored from Portland, Sunday, and are guests of Mrs. Wormell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis.

Mrs. O. M. Mason closed her house Tuesday and left for Portland, Oregon, where she will spend several weeks with friends before leaving for Los Angeles, California, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Fuller's camp burned last Sunday night between seven and eight o'clock. The smoke was seen but it was thought to be a brush fire. Monday morning Mr. Fuller went to his camp as usual but imagine his surprise when he saw nothing but a blackened mass of cinders. The loss was considerable as there were many things that will be hard to replace, especially the hand made rustic furniture and the many little things that one will pick up in two years time. It is understood that he will rebuild at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mr. I. L. Carver was in Massachusetts a few days last week.

Mr. Jasper Cates and wife went to Hiram, Monday, for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Austin and son, Charles, were in So. Paris, Sunday.

Mr. True Eames and family were week end guests of relatives in Gorham, N. H.

Mrs. Arthur Richardson was the guest of Mrs. George P. Locke at Norway last week.

Miss Methel Packard of Portland was the week end guest of her sister, Miss Ida Packard.

Mr. Will Stearns and family of Paris were guests of his mother, Mrs. S. P. Stearns, Sunday.

Remember the harvest fair and supper at the Methodist church on Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of West Bethel were guests of Mr. H. T. Sawin and family, Saturday.

Miss Alice Mason left Tuesday morning for Melrose, Mass., where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. C. E. Sawin of East Waterford was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. T. Sawin, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmon Jordan at Mechanic Falls, Sunday.

Miss Ethel Hammons of Portland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Skillings.

Mrs. McReynolds of Kansas and Mrs. Bradford of Farmington are guests of their sister, Mrs. J. C. Billings.

Miss Cora Brown and Miss Alice Morris of Auburn were Sunday guests of Mr. Harry Brown and family.

Mr. Earl Frice of the Junior Volunteers, who has been stationed at Presque Isle, returned home Thursday.

The Universalist Ladies' Circle will have a food sale at Miss L. M. Stearns' store at 3 p. m., Friday, Oct. 19.

Mr. Ernest Bisbee came up from So. Paris, Friday, to spend a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Frost.

Mrs. Henry Hastings is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. George P. Locke, at Norway during the October term of court.

Mrs. Robert Bisbee, who has been spending several weeks in town, has returned to her home in New Bedford, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Andrews, Mr. Harry Inman went to their camp in Upton, Sunday to spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. Walter Chandler and two sons, John and Milford, of Norway spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Chandler.

Mr. Archie Buck returned home from Boston, Thursday, to spend a short vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck.

Rev. Mr. Little is in Worcester, Mass., this week attending the Universalist General Convention and will be away over Sunday.

Mr. Wm. J. Upson has alternated between Portland and Christmas Cove for several months. He soon returns for the winter sports of Bethel.

Mr. I. J. Starling of Yarmouth was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Parrington. Mrs. Starling and daughter, Doris, who have been spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Parrington, accompanied him home.

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Mr. Carroll Mitchell is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from his duties in I. L. Carver's store, and is visiting his parents in Jonesport.

Mr. Holman and family of No. Stratford, N. H., were guests of Mrs. Holman's brother, Dr. E. L. Brown, and family one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Channing Frost of Gilead and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frost of Massachusetts were guests of Mrs. Alma Mitchell, Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Curtis will attend the County Association of Congregationalists at Dixfield, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mrs. Nellie Phipps and Mr. Thomas Taylor of Milan, N. H., Mrs. Eugene Andrews and son, Donald, of Norway were Sunday guests of Mr. F. L. Edwards and family.

Dr. I. H. Wight and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wight and son, Royden, motored to Hebron, Sunday, to visit Mr. Virgil Wight, who is attending Hebron Academy.

Messrs. H. H. King, E. H. Young, J. P. Skillings, Clarence Judkins, C. W. Hall, E. L. Brown, E. P. Lyon and Chester Cummings spent a few days the first of the week at Wilson's Mills.

Mr. Loren M. Glines came home from Magalloway, Thursday, where he has been working. Mr. Glines was fortunate in having a nice doe and one of the best 10-point bucks that has been brought in for some time.

Mr. F. B. Hall and family, Mrs. O. A. Buck and sons, Archie and Everett, motored to Portland, Sunday, where they were guests of Mr. T. F. Vail and family. Mr. F. B. Hall and Archie Buck returned Sunday, Mrs. Buck and Mrs. Hall will remain for a visit.

A regular meeting of the Young Men's Universalist Association was held in the chapel, Monday evening, Oct. 15, and nine young men were received into membership. Four more will be initiated at the next meeting. A reception to the new members will be given at an early date. The program is not quite complete.

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Dr. and Mrs. Gehring with Miss Hodgdon will be in Bethel for a few days the week of the 15th, although not remaining to open their home till early in November.

The annual inspection of Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S., will be held Monday evening, Oct. 22. D. D. G. M., Mrs. Cora M. Charles of Fryeburg will be the inspecting officer.

The annual inspection of Brown Relief Corps, No. 36, will be held Wednesday evening, Oct. 24. Mrs. Carrie E. Vincent, Department Inspector of Bangor, will be the inspecting officer.

Captain George B. Farnsworth, commanding Battery B, 322 F. A., N. A., is stationed at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio. Mrs. Farnsworth and her children have a home in the city during the months that her husband remains in Ohio. An extract from one of Capt. Farnsworth's letters reads as follows: "To-night at midnight I take my oath, and lay down the title of Doctor with the scalpel, taking up that of Captain with the sword. I am the sixth of my line to serve as an officer in the United States army. God grant me the courage of my forbears." Two great-great-grandfathers at Bunker Hill, the famous Col. Prescott "on the ramparts"—a great-great-uncle; a grandfather, and his father, officers in the wars of 1812 and the Civil War respectfully—form a background which made Captain Farnsworth's answer when asked why a man with so much to leave should volunteer for the "firing line" stand out in clearest meaning. "What else is there to do, and ever face myself."

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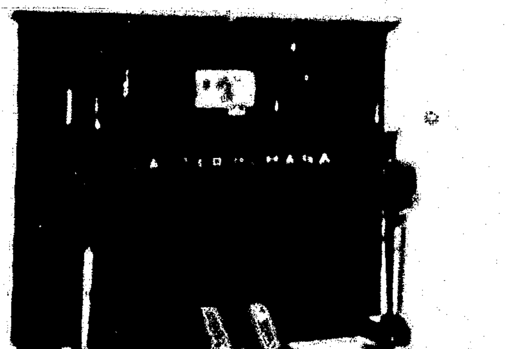

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RUMFORD

Miss Ida M. Taylor has returned to her studies at Bates College.

James H. Kerr has been awarded the contract to construct the concrete bridge at Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Kennard have moved into their new home on Washington street. This house is the so-called Knapp house, and has been thoroughly remodelled. Mr. Williams, superintendent of schools, and family, have moved into the rent on Knox street vacated by the Kennards.

The members of Clan Chisholm are making plans for their annual Burns Concert and Ball, the proceeds of which will be given to the local branch of the Red Cross.

Mr. J. E. Fabyan, who has resigned his position at Rumford's Mechanic Institute, has accepted a position at one of the club houses in Boston.

Mrs. Frank W. Curneil of Penobscot street is in Haverhill, Mass., where she is visiting her brother, Mr. Thomas Chapman.

William J. Dyer, who has been clerk at Leary's store for a year or more, has resigned his position on account of ill health, and has gone to Hartford, Conn., to accept a position as travelling salesman for an automobile tire concern.

Alfred McDonald and sister, Miss Hilda, from Prince Edward Island are visiting their brother, Lawyer Peter McDonald.

Ben Lynch, for many years a member of Company B of this town, has been discharged from the regular army on account of poor health, and has returned to town.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dupill (Miss Marion Arsenault) whose wedding took place last week, are spending a short honeymoon in Massachusetts cities, and in Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. James Goodfellow of Bemis is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. F. Austin, of Hancock street.

Rumford is to have a remnant store which will be opened at Surrette's millinery store on Waldo street. The store will be a branch of Oldham's mill end and remnant store of Congress street in Portland.

Miss Margaret Filiault has succeeded Mrs. Alfred Thomas as clerk in the auditing department of the Maine Telephone and Telegraph Company, and Mrs. Frank Buswell has taken Miss Filiault's place as cashier.

Rodney McDonald is entertaining his mother, Mrs. John McDonald, of Massachusetts at his home on Lincoln avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Gaudet (Miss Beatrice Arsenault of Westbrook), whose marriage took place last week at Westbrook, are to reside in Rumford, where Mr. Gaudet is proprietor of the Moose Lunch on Waldo street.

On Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock the plant of the New Mineral Fertilizer Company was sold at auction by Philip G. Clifford of Portland, the special master appointed by the United States District Court, the Federal Trust Company of Boston being the concern that brought about foreclosure proceedings.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Carey and two sons, Edward and Francis, have left for their future home in W. Ferdinand, P. Q. Mr. and Mrs. Carey are both in poor health, and it is hoped that the change will be beneficial to them.

Charles Levin of the Levin, Santer Company is spending this week in the New York markets.

Arthur Chapman has left to take up his studies at the University of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bauchine are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son.

Peter Dorily has moved from Hancock street to a house on Erchles street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ward are soon to leave town to go to Midland, Michigan, where Mr. Ward has accepted a position. Mr. Ward has been a chemist in the Oxford mill for the past two years.

Miss Margaret Shea of Prince Edward Island is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Peter Dorily.

Friends in town will be pleased to learn that Frank Littlefield is rapidly improving from his recent illness.

Rumford is expected to raise at least $342,000 of the Second Liberty Loan. The maximum allotment is $564,000.

Mrs. Mary Parsons of Mexico Corner is quite sick at her home. Her daughter, Mrs. Kendall, of Portland is with her.

Miss Coombs, the teacher of domestic science in the Rumford schools, is quite sick with the measles at her room in Strathglass Park.

Miss Ruth Oliver, former stenographer for Lawyer Albert Beliveau, has accepted a position with the Rumford Falls Light and Water Co.

Mrs. Harry Ruff (Miss Rita Grant) spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Harnden, of Strathglass Park. Mrs. Ruff is teaching school at Curtis Corner.

Mrs. Arthur Hinds is visiting friends in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Howard, who have been occupying one of the Orino flats on Spruce street, will move into the Ralph Walker house on Knox street as soon as it is vacated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews of Lincoln avenue and son, Carl, are enjoying a visit in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Small will occupy the house on Erchles street, Strathglass Park, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ward.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist church worked for the Red Cross at their rooms on Tuesday afternoon of this week, as they have voted to devote every third Tuesday to that purpose. On Wednesday evening, Oct. 31, the Aid will give a Hallowe'en party at the church, for the purpose of defraying small expenses incurred by them of late.

On Saturday afternoon about two o'clock occurred the death of Mr. Charles E. Fernald, the well known druggist of Rumford. Mr. Fernald has been in poor health for several years past, although being able to be up and about, but for the past two weeks he has been confined to his bed. Mr. Fernald has been a druggist in Rumford for a great many years, being first in a small store on the corner of Congress and Exchange streets, but some eight or ten years ago, moved across the street into a larger store, more pretentious, and with much more elaborate fixtures, where he has since done business. Mr. Fernald married Miss Nellie Holman of Dixfield who survives him with two young daughters, and two young sons. The funeral services took place on Tuesday noon at twelve o'clock from his late residence on Franklin street, Rev. Allen Brown of the Universalist church officiating. The interment was at Dixfield.

Friends of Miss Eleanor Simpson of Franklin street gave her a surprise shower in honor of her marriage to Mr. Charles Cashman of Rangeley, which took place on Wednesday of this week. The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts of cut glass, silver and linen.

Miss Marion Gauthier, who for the past four years has been chief clerk in the branch of the Metropolitan Insurance in this town, has resigned her position and has taken a position as bookkeeper in the furniture store of Gauthier and Valley Company.

Miss Iola Lapham, who has been studying dentistry in Connecticut for the past year, is at home for a few weeks, during which time she is working in the office of Dr. Edward A. Sheehy.

Mr. Albert Davis, formerly a drug clerk in the stores of Charles E. Fernald, and the Red Cross Pharmacy, but who left to take up a similar position in Lewiston about a year ago, has returned to town, and has taken a position once again with Mr. Bowers of the Red Cross Pharmacy.

Rev. Allen Brown of the Universalist church left on Tuesday afternoon for a stay of several days in Worcester, Mass.

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WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. J. W. Gribbin and son from Portland are making Mrs. Coffin and Mrs. Sarah Brown a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mills from Poland Spring are at W. D. Mills' for a vacation of a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vashaw were out from the woods the week end. Hugh Thurston took them back Monday and will go hunting while there.

The Red Cross and Navy League workers of West Bethel and vicinity meet at Mrs. Margery Mason's, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 24. If you can't and won't knit bring your scissors and help on the comfort pillows. Bring any clean cotton pieces, white or colored, and any clean batting you may have. These pieces you would throw into the rag bag are just the thing to cut for the filling. Bring also any pieces of white or colored, you may have for the covers. Try and come at least once and see what we are doing. Everyone will be cordially welcomed.

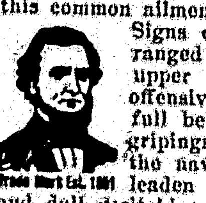
SONGO POND.

Miss Ina Good and Miss Alice Adams were Saturday and Sunday guests of Miss Good's mother, Mrs. Moses Grover, of Bethel.

C. F. Upton, who is working in Norway, was home Sunday. He was accompanied by his brother, Wayland.

If Mothers Only Knew

how often children suffer from worms, they would take care and guard against this common ailment of childhood.



Signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep; slow fever.

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Teddy Baker went back with them for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lowe, Mrs. Lena Heath and two children, Mrs. Annie Heath of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burris and three children of West Bethel, Charles Eames and Albert Morris of Albany, Mr. Littlefield of Lewiston, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Kimball.

Mrs. Ellsworth Wilbur and two children of Locke's Mills were the week end guests of her father, Roscoe Emery.

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This loan must not lack for support here or elsewhere if it is to be a success. Give it your support and do it right now. You must help Bethel to do her bit by doing yours.

BETHEL NATIONAL BANK

WEST PARIS

Lewis C. Bates and Mrs. Agnes Pratt, both of whom have been very ill, are improving.

Vernal Bates of New Haven, Conn., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bates.

The Elva E. Locke Memorial Class and the D. A. Ball Bible Study Class enjoyed a supper at Good Will Hall, Wednesday evening. More than fifty were present. Plans were discussed for a profitable winter's work. A supper, monthly, given by the ladies and gentlemen alternately will be one of the social features of the class.

The "Glad Girls" of the Universalist Sunday school, Mrs. Lewis C. Bates teacher, gave a poverty party Friday evening. There was a fair attendance but moving pictures and other functions lessened the attendance. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Red Cross. Ice cream, home made candy and popcorn were on sale.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler entertained a few friends Friday evening, the occasion being the doctor's birthday. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wardwell, Mrs. L. H. Penley, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ridlon, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis A. Curtis left last Thursday with a party of eleven for a few days in Massachusetts. The party hired an auto truck and all enjoyed the trip together.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Mann went to Boston, Saturday, and will spend three or four days with relatives and friends in the city and suburbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Ricker of Bristol, N. H., are with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ricker.

Earle Adams of Massachusetts has recently visited his grandmother, Mrs. Sara E. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beedy and son, Frank, of Weld and Dexter W. Beedy of Phillips, who were on a motor trip, were guests of relatives two or three days last week at H. R. Tuell's and E. J. Mann's.

Friday evening the High school scholars will have a sociable at Centennial Hall with music by Shaw of South Paris.

GROVER HILL.

Mrs. E. R. Whitman, Dorothy and Edw. Gibbs with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitman motored to Milan, N. H., Sunday and on their return brought with them Mr. G. A. Blake, who is doing some carpenter work for them this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitman and family also motored to Milan, N. H., and called on friends, Sunday.

Miss Gwendolyn Stearns was home from Saco, Columbus Day and the week end.

Mrs. E. R. Whitman and brother, Mr. Edw. Gibbs, took Mrs. N. A. Stearns and Karl Stearns to Hebron Sanatorium, Thursday, and on their return they were accompanied by Mr. A. E. Shephard, who has since been the guest of N. A. Stearns and family, and calling on friends in the place.

Mr. Martin Whitney from Sebago was visiting his Grover Hill friends last week.

Mr. Anson Kendall from Newry was in this place, Sunday.

Mr. T. F. Hastings and party from Bethel were here Tuesday morning and invited Mr. Albert Shephard to accompany them for a motor ride.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler and son from Bethel village were calling on friends here, Sunday.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blake and children of Bethel were in this place, Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Powers is keeping house for Mrs. Walter Emery while she is away.

J. A. Nowlin, who is working in Grafton, is spending a few days with his family here.

Mr. H. O'Leary, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Nowlin, returned to Massachusetts, Monday.

Mrs. Tolman, who has been spending the summer at the beach, is again with her son in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bean.

Walter Emery has taken a logging job in Wentworth Location, and is moving into the woods.

Mrs. Albert Tiers and daughter, Marsella, of Berlin spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds.

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ANDOVER

Mrs. Edward Akers and daughter, Ellen, spent the week end with Nathan Akers and family at Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mrs. Clayton Sweatt, Mrs. Irving Akers, Mrs. Fred Smith and Y. A. Thurston and wife, Miss Alice Andrews and Evelyn Smith attended the Food Conservation Lecture at Rumford, Monday.

Mrs. Annie Coolidge from Dixfield has been a recent guest of her brother, Frank Porter and family.

Frank Fogg and Mrs. Helen Kimball of Norway were in town Saturday of last week.

Miss Lizzie Hall from South Andover spent several days last week with Mrs. Joel Morton.

The King's Daughters will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Rand.

Mrs. Persis Hutchins is assisting Mrs. Ralph Thurston.

Ruel Taylor and wife and Jotham Shaw of Byron attended the auction of George Thomas, Saturday.

Lone Mt. Grange gave a reception to Walter Marston and wife, Saturday evening at the regular meeting. Mr. J. F. Talbot in behalf of the Grange, presented them with a nice chair. Mr. and Mrs. Marston accepted it with a few well chosen words. Refreshments of cocoa, sandwiches and cake were served. Mr. Marston and family are about to move to Canton, where they own a fine farm.

Walter Barnes will sell part of his goods in the store at auction, Saturday, October 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bailey were chosen delegates to attend the Congregational Church Conference which meets at Dixfield Thursday and Friday of this week.

F. P. Thomas had a crew of men cleaning out the reservoir of the Andover water supply Tuesday of last week.

Albert Berry has purchased George Thomas' house on Main street.

Miss Francis Bartlett, a Red Cross nurse from France, is visiting her parents, Charles Bartlett and wife.

The many friends of Mrs. Irving Hanson are pleased to hear that she is convalescing at the McCarty Hospital, Rumford.

Walter Marston sold his household goods and farming tools at auction, Monday.

Montgomery Poor and Lester Thurston have resumed their studies at the Maine State College, Orono.

Mr. Brown, the high school principal, conducted the services at the Congregational church both morning and evening, Sunday.

Lone Mt. Grange will entertain Rumford Grange, Saturday, Oct. 27.

Mrs. O. J. Burgess and daughter, Madeline from Norway have been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Abbie Poor has been staying at the Merrill house for a few days.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church will meet Wednesday, Oct. 17, with Mrs. Wirt Lovejoy.

Lyman Swasey with other members of Company B have arrived in France.

Simon Pickett and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Elliott of Rumford were guests Sunday of J. Holton Abbott and family at So. Andover.

Mr. William Holman, an esteemed citizen of South Andover, passed away Thursday evening of last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Merrill, at East Andover. Mr. Holman was ill only five days with pneumonia. He was a member of Cabot Lodge, K. of P., and leaves three daughters, Mrs. Harry Merrill, Miss Isabel Holman of Andover and Mrs. Richard Farrar of Rumford. The funeral took place Saturday at the home. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

POEMS WORTH READING

THE OLD FLAG FOREVER.
Frank L. Stanton in the Atlanta Constitution.

She's up there—Old Glory—where lightnings are sped;
She dazzles the nations with ripples of red,
And she'll wave for us living, or droop o'er us dead—
The flag of our country forever!

She's up there—Old Glory—how bright the stars stream!
And the stripes like red signals of liberty gleam!
And we dare for her, living, or dream the last dream
'Neath the flag of our country for ever!

She's up there—Old Glory—no tyrant-dealt scars,
No blur on her brightness, no stain on her stars!
The brave blood of heroes hath crimsoned her bars—
She's the flag of our country forever!

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THE SACRIFICE.

It isn't the fact that your brother has gone,
That makes the great sacrifice dear,
But that there is the light of the allies dawn
With the soldiers of freedom stand in mine.

It's a dear, deep gladness for all of us, dear,
That our own have been called and have stood
Like heroes of old, with no tremor of fear,
For the sake of the whole world's good.

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"OPPORTUNITY."
By Walter Malone.

They do me wrong who say I come no more
When once I knock and fail to find you in;
For every day I stand outside your door,
And bid you wake and rise and fight to win.

Wail not for precious chances passed away,
Weep not for golden ages on the wane;
Each night I burn the records of the day,
At sunrise every soul is born again.
Laugh like a boy at splendors that have sped,
To vanished joys be blind and deaf and dumb;
My judgments seal the dead past with its dead,
But never bind a moment yet to come.

Though deep in mire, wring not your hands and weep,
I lend my arm to all who say: "I can."
No shamefaced outcast ever sank so deep
But yet might rise and be again a man.

Dost thou behold thy lost youth all aghast?
Dost reel from righteous retribution's blow?
Then turn from blotted archives of the past,
And find the future's pages white as snow.

Art thou a mourner? Rouse thee from thy spell!
Art thou a sinner? Sins may be forgiven.
Each morning gives thee wings to flee from hell,
Each night a star to guide thy feet to Heaven.

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GONE.
By Catherine Powers.

His Panama hangs on the hall rack, there's the ghost of his step on the stair,
And his room breathes so strong of his presence I find myself seeking him there.
And I say to his pictures, "He's left us." And I say to his books, "We're alone,"
And my eyes fill with tears, and my heart's sick with fears,
But—we couldn't keep Jimmie at home.

It wasn't for honor or glory, it wasn't for love of the fray,
The war seemed a gray growing horror, climbing nearer and nearer each day.
For the children of Europe were slaughtered, and Columbia, hearing their moans,
Sent a far-reaching call for Americans—ALL,
And—we couldn't keep Jimmie at home.

Who can judge of the limits of loving? Who can say of what loyalty's made?

And this feeling of man for his country, it's something the God of him gave.
It's bigger and finer than self is, upon it our ideals have grown;
It's American blood, and it's true to the end,
And—we couldn't keep Jimmie at home.

So we're here with the ghost of his presence, and the pictures and books in his room,
And his Panama hangs on the hall rack, and we say, "He'll be coming home soon."
And we're thinking thoughts in the night watches that thousands of others have known,
But we're praying we're fit, and we're doing our bit,
And—we didn't keep Jimmie at home.

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OUT THERE.
By Margaret E. Sangster, Jr., in the Christian Herald.

Somewhere, Out There, he is—just a boy, that's all—
(Laughter sparkled in his eyes—he was always singing!)
Just a boy who answered when he heard his country call;
(Somewhere, Out There, he is—how my thoughts go winging!)
Ready to do or dare,
(Like sunlight was his hair!)
Just a boy, a smiling boy,
Somewhere, Out There.

Idle my wheel, today, hushed is my spinning—
(Ah, but his eyes were blue—blue as the sea!)
Somewhere, Out There, he is—losing or winning?
(Boy with the carefree heart, come back to me!)
Bind on the country's flare,
(God, can you hear my prayer?)
Keep him, my boy, from harm—
Somewhere, Out There.

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THE COUNTRY'S CALL.

When other nations went to war,
We proudly held aloof;
For which one might be in the wrong
We had no certain proof

But when the deadly submarines
Sank all within their path;
Then up rose Uncle Samuel
And thundered in his wrath.

Come all young men, who have red blood,
Wherever you may be;
And seek this deadly monster
That hides within the sea.

From East, from West, from North or South,
From Italy or Siam;
Whatever nation gave you birth
Now fight for Uncle Sam.

No black, no white, no red, nor brown,
But brothers one and all;
Now rally at your country's need,
Together stand or fall.

Like the boys of seventy-six
Now leave the plow and spade;
And answer to your country's call
Untried but not afraid.

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Look at this Bread!

If you could only actually see it, smell it and taste it!

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WILSON'S MILLS.

Lewis Coy went to Colebrook, N. H., Thursday.

Business for those who run public cars is good, as there are plenty of men going into the woods and coming out again all the time.

Mrs. Arthur Littlehale spent the day at J. F. Hart's, Thursday, while her mother, Mrs. Percy Ripley, and Mrs. Norman McKay were calling at Geneva Hart's.

Leon Bennett took possession of the Aziscoos House, Monday, and seems to be doing lots of business. Harry and Blanche Hart are working for him.

W. H. Hart, who has been watching the Aziscoos dam, moved his family back onto his farm, Thursday, and J. F. Hart, who has been running the farm moved back to "Abbott Brook Cottage."

Work on the State road is practically finished. Everyone is through excepting H. G. Bennett, Azel Wilson and J. F. Hart, who are putting in the cement work on the culverts.

Mrs. Clyde Ripley is spending the week end with her husband at "Abbott Brook Cottage."

Leslie Hart, W. H. Hart, Lewis Leavitt and E. R. Bennett went to South Paris, Friday in Leslie Hart's auto.

Fawne Littlehale and wife were down from Bosbeck Lodge, recently, and went to Berlin and spent a few days.

Charles Oats hired J. F. Hart to carry his wife and three small sons to their home in Fryeburg, Sunday. Mr. Oats is still working for J. W. Buchanan.

Mrs. Winslow Linnell was called to Lancaster, Monday, by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Johnson. Mrs. Arthur Bennett kept house during her absence.

M. C. Linnell and son, Richardson, have made an extended visit to Fayett, Me., where Richard's married sister lives, a brother who has enlisted was there also, so the young folks enjoyed their reunion very much.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Linnell visited at Bertha Storey's, Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Hart and small daughter and Mrs. Hannah Sargent spent Sunday with Mrs. Ann Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Littlehale have gone to Auburn to look after their things there as their daughter, Mrs. Elgar Brooks, has rented her house and intends taking her husband to Florida for his health. Mrs. Littlehale will bring the little grandchild back with her.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Mrs. C. B. Tebbets and two children were guests of Mrs. E. L. Tebbets at Auburn the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crockett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Herrick of Norway the week end.

Mrs. Harry Swift and daughter were guests of relatives in Stoneham last week.

C. B. Tebbets and Chris Bryant were in Oxford on business, Saturday.

Eva and Edith Fiske visited with relatives in Waterford, Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph King was a guest of her sister, Belle Chase, at Auburn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. King Bartlett and Rilcey were last week's guests of her mother, Mrs. Foss, at North Leeds.

Mrs. Elton Goodwin and little son started Monday to visit her parents in Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. Fred Hark of Norway visited with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Goodwin, Sunday.

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SOUTH PARIS

There are two new buildings under construction at the Paris Mfg. Company. One is an addition to the varnish room, the material used is brick, and it will double the size of the original room, and extends into the discontinued part of Western avenue. The other building in the yard is a dry house 30x85 feet. This building is made of concrete.

Perley F. Ripley has purchased the Heidner house on High street and moved his family there. Mr. and Mrs. Heidner and Laura Ellis are with Mrs. Heidner's sister, Mrs. Maurice Noyes, for a short time and from there they will go to Springfield, Mass., and visit Mrs. Heidner's son, Henry Howe. Later they intend going to some place in the South for the winter as Mr. Heidner is in poor health.

Osmond K. Clifford and family have moved from their house on Oxford street into the Rice house on High street, which Mr. Clifford has purchased. The Graves families have vacated the Rice house and moved into one of the Bolster houses on Myrtle street.

The friends of Mrs. Martha Evans will be sorry to learn that she is failing in health again. Mr. Evans intended coming here and opening her home again this week but her health will not permit. She is with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Lane, of Upton.

Mrs. Allie Crommett and little daughter, Esther, who have been spending some time with Mrs. Esther Ryerson, have gone to Philadelphia where they will spend some time with Mrs. Crommett's parents.

Ernest F. Clayton of Lisbon Falls, formerly principal of Paris High school, has recently called on friends in town.

Miss Nora Martin left her home Saturday for Caribou, where she is to teach during the coming year. The schools are late commencing on account of the harvesting.

Rev. G. Howard Newton, pastor of the Baptist church, was in Rockland last week as a delegate to the State Sunday School convention. His brother, Rev. J. Edward Newton, pastor of the Rockland Congregational church has been given a year's absence and started last Wednesday for France, where he will take up Y. M. C. A. work at the front.

Miss Lena Frank of Rockland, formerly principal of Paris Grammar school, is a guest of Mrs. Harold Fletcher.

An old fashioned husking bee was held Thursday evening at the Judkins farm on Elm Hill. About 25 friends and neighbors were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent husking corn and playing games.

The Deering Memorial Methodist church have just received a donation of $400.00 from George Deering of Chicago.

The Stone house on the corner of High and Gothic streets, recently purchased by Clarence G. Morton is undergoing quite extensive repairs. There are two very large plate glass windows being put in, also a large veranda on the side. The house won't be ready for occupancy for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Barrows have moved into their new home on the new street that leads from Main to Maple street.

There have been 300 woolen pieces knit for the soldiers by members of the South Paris branch of the Service League since the last box was shipped to Portsmouth. These include sweaters, sleeping caps, helmets, mufflers, wristers, hose and bed socks.

Eben E. Chapman returned Wednesday from Portland, where he had been for ten days in a hospital for surgical treatment of one of his feet.

In spite of adverse weather conditions, some good sweet corn was grown in South Paris this season. On John McGee's farm $118.02 worth of corn was picked from eighty-one hundredths of an acre. This is producing sweet corn at the rate of $145.04 per acre exclusive of the fodder. This is a fair yield for this season.

Harold T. Thayer will attend the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in Portland this week, as representative of Mt. Mica Lodge. Elmer Aldrich goes to the Grand Encampment as representative of Aurora Encampment. L. W. Hollis, lodge district deputy, and L. E. Monk, encampment district deputy, will also attend the grand bodies.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Wheeler of Wakefield, Mass., with friends, a party of six, arrived here Friday afternoon and went on to Shagg Pond, where they are spending a few days at their camp.

Hollis McGinley, Leo Walton and Ellsworth Wheeler, who joined the Junior Volunteers in July, and have been working on the land in Aroostook County, returned to their homes in South Paris last week.

NEWRY.

There was a reception at Kilgore's Hall, No. Newry, Monday evening Oct. 15, in honor of the thirty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Powers' marriage. Although the evening was not all one could wish, yet there was a nice little crowd who seemed to enjoy the evening. There was a large number of very pretty presents, all of which were much appreciated:

Bon bon dish, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey; silver cake knife, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bond; 1-2 dozen silver teaspoons, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Powers; water set, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight; glass dish, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eames; glass dish, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Chapman; center table cover, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Eaman; book, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Flint; plate, Miss Mary Deegan; platter, Ray Parker; landscape, Eaman boys; table mat, Eaman girls; china dish, Elsie Eaman; money, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kilgore; money, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Eames; money, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brinck; money, Miss Cecil Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers wish to thank all who made the evening such a pleasant event.

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(M. J. Brow...)

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Mrs. Mary Fennell, R. F. D., Pomona, Missouri, writes:
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WHAT LIFE IS ON THE YUKON RIVER.

Little Stories of Mining Camps, Indian Villages, Wood Camps, Gold Strikes And Human Bones. Hell's Pass, 5-Finger Rapids. The Route Down Which Gold-Mad Men Stampeded to Nome as They Rushed to Dawson.

(M. J. Brown)

The man who makes the Yukon river trip from Dawson to St. Michael will never regret it, but he will never make it but once—unless he is obliged to.

After Dawson is left the schedule is one long trip of uncertainty and discomforts—and they grow worse as the lower river is reached. "Tourists be damned," I heard the first mate say to another officer, "get the freight."

But the discomforts, anxieties and uncertainties come later on. For the first thousand miles the trip was most interesting, and with the weather warm and bright, it was with keen enjoyment that we sat day after day on the deck, and watched the many places of interest along the crooked stream.

At Seattle a lady came on board. She lived at Forty Mile, and had lived there for over twenty years. She went outside, over the trail, in the winter for a surgical operation and was returning.

If there was ever a booster for the North Land, it was she. She loved it, she yearned for it, she could hardly wait to get home, and she told me if I would only stop off at Forty Mile and wait for the next steamer down she and her husband would show me some of the real joys of living that would long make me remember the [illegible]. She said her husband would meet her at Dawson with a launch and she urged me to join them. But a fifty mile launch trip did not appeal to me, so I decided to stick to the boat and perhaps drop off after I had seen the town.

The next day I asked the purser if I could lay over at Forty Mile for the next boat if the town looked good to me and I concluded to stop.

"Nothing doing," he replied. "Your ticket will allow you to lay over all right, but the Canadian government won't. You are on an American boat [illegible] you cannot get off in Canadian territory." And then he remarked he reckoned I wouldn't care to stop off after I had seen the town.

In the morning we reached Forty Mile and the boat remained long enough to unload a little freight and [illegible] on the countless show [illegible] fixtures of a once big company store that had died for want of business.

A dozen log cabins, a dilapidated log road house, a wireless station, a little store, and a couple of red coated Northwest Mounted Police. That was Forty Mile—the wonderful North Land the lady had told me about for days. This was the home she was homesick and heartsick to get back to.

The wireless man told me there were only two white women within a radius of 50 miles square; that the most of the miners had left the country and the town would soon be deserted. "Even the road house has let its license lapse, and the town is most gone now," he moaned.

Forty Mile has had an up and down existence. There is gold there, but not rich ground, no big strikes, and time and again just when the camp on Forty Mile river, back from the town, had settled down to a slow but steady producing proposition, there would come news of a big strike somewhere down the river and the miners would stampede for it like a flock of sheep—grabbing anything that would float and rushing to the new diggings.

I learned that the husband of the lady was foreman of a dredge outfit that an English company had long been operating on the Forty Mile river [illegible] that one dredge was abandoned and the other would soon be, as the [illegible] had been worked out.

[illegible] as we sat on the bank watching the deck hands load the store fixtures, the radio man rushed down, very much excited, and handed us a bulletin. The passengers on deck called to us to know what it was, so I mounted the [illegible] steps, summoned up my oratory and [illegible]

Amsterdam dispatch says Kaiser has abdicated in favor of Prince Joachim. Great stress in imperial circles.

This was wonderful news in a newspaperless country, and it was the only news we heard from the outside for a thousand miles further down the river. So while we fought mosquitos we discussed it, argued it, doubted it, dissected it and made it last.

The entire length of the Yukon has Indian villages scattered along, and between them are scattered cabins where one or two Indian families live alone. And for hundreds of miles along the river runs the trail, over which travelers, miners and prospectors mush in and out during the long winter months.

The upper river Indians live today as they lived before the first Russian ever came up the Yukon—they exist. They care nothing for the white man's gold—salmon is what they want, fish for their bellies and the dogs' before the long arctic night sets in. So they build fish wheels of logs and poles, anchor them near the shore at a point where the fish are likely to "run" and the wheel never stops turning while the summer lasts.

The fish are dressed and dried. You will see hundreds of the red salmon hanging from poles. When thoroughly dried they are stored in caches on the top of a framework of poles, six or eight feet from the ground, where the dogs and bears cannot get to them. The Indians trap some in the winter and if they can catch more fish than they need, they sell the fish and furs to the river town stores, or rather trade them for the few supplies they need.

The most of the Indian villages are very old. The log cabins are rotting down and vegetation grows a foot high from the dirt roofs. They live in horribly filthy conditions. The boats [illegible] stop at the Indian towns.

The purser told me that the boat would go through Five Finger Rapids and Hell's Pass at about two o'clock in the morning, so I set my mental alarm clock for that hour and was on deck. I wanted to see these two dreadful spots where so many men [illegible] their outfits and lives during the [illegible] rush down the river to Nome, when news of the big strike came up. It was light at two o'clock in the [illegible] [illegible] light [illegible] [illegible]—and I stood in the bow of the steamer one were pushing [illegible] [illegible] had a fine view of the rapids before we reached them.

They are rightly named, for they spread out like the fingers of a hand [illegible] of the channels mean rocks and wreck. One of them, the thumb, is safe. And I thought of the days when gold-mad men came down the river in a continuous string, riding [illegible] boats, rafts—anything that would float. And they carried with them their all, the grub stake and the few necessary tools and bedding. Few of them knew anything about the dangerous rapids, few even knew they were there until they were onto them, and then in a minute they must decide on which channel—and take the chance. However, the most of them instinctively saw that the thumb, the big channel, was the safest pass, and if they got their boats full in the current they were safe. If they did not, they were dashed against the rocks, and they tell me few ever came out alive who were overturned.

Then came Hell's Pass—a place where the Yukon runs down hill for a short distance. It was a scarey rapids to look at even from a steamer's deck. There were no dreaded rocks, but I marveled that any small boat could go through this whirling, foaming race and not capsize. But they did, thousands of them.

And after I had seen these two rapids (and by the way, the only ones between White Horse and Nome, 2200 miles) I quit fighting fools with the mosquitos and the slow eight mile speed of the boat.

About every twenty-four hours the boat tied up at a woodcamp for wood, and it takes a long time for the deck hands to carry enough of the four foot sticks on board to last to the next camp.

At Woodchoppers' creek, about 50 miles over the line in Alaska, we stopped early in the morning to "wood up" and wait for the fog to lift. I was about the only passenger up. The captain told me the boat won't be there for two hours at least and if I wanted to stretch my legs I would find a good trail back of the wood pile that led to a deserted cabin, half a mile down. I hiked.

It was a miners' cabin, logs, with floor of whipsawed lumber. The old stove was there, the rough benches, table, bunk and other odds and ends. It was at the end of a draw, where a little stream ran down the valley and emptied into the Yukon. The deserted mine was back from the shore and I did not have time to go to it.

And now for the story—the captain told it to me. Two prospectors struck a prospect in the summer that looked good, so they built the cabin, caught fish and prepared for winter. It was late in summer before they had winter preparations made, and could go on with the prospect hole. They struck bed rock at 12 feet and found a wonderfully rich pocket. They worked it out, thawed down other holes, but never another sign of color, then one of them being taken sick, they abandoned the place and went down the river on the ice, and the sick man died before they reached Fort Dawson.

Now for the rest of the story—or rather the other version.

As the boat passed the deserted cabin, a lady pointed to a peculiar-looking cache on top of a platform just below the cabin and asked a miner what it was. In the fog I had not noticed this when I was at the cabin. It looked from the boat as if a kyack (skin canoe) had been put up there and wound with an old tent. But the miner said it was a dead body, now only a skeleton, and had been there four or five years. He said the sick man died in camp, his partner put him on the meat cache and beat it down the ice.

I afterwards asked the pilot if the story was true. "That's the tale; I don't know. But it is the truth that you can't get an Indian woodchopper to get anywhere near the cabin," he answered.

I have no doubt but that it was true, and that under that old canvas is the skeleton remains of a man, and that some father or mother outside is waiting and hoping for news of a venturesome boy—news that will never come. Alaska is full of such tragedies.

Anywhere there is a white man the boat will stop—that is if he has sent out for a box of freight—grub. Often his cabin will be where the river is shallow, then he has to row out with a boat to get it.

At one place we stopped and tied up to put ashore a little bunch of provisions. There was one lonesome cabin, new, a half dozen "husky" dogs and the usual meat house. A man and his wife lived there, and they were waiting right on the river bank. He was about 45, she about 60. They had [illegible] down a piece about 50 feet square to the water's level. They had a rocker and a sluice. The dirt was shoveled in and then water dipped up from the river and poured in—one of the hardest and poorest possible ways of mining.

I asked the old lady how it was panning out. "Oh, just fair," she replied, but it is worth $18 an ounce. And then she looked at me a minute and exclaimed: "Oh, it is so lonesome, so lonesome here." And if ever I felt heartfelt sorrow and sincere pity, I experienced it when the boat pulled out and I saw this pitiful old lady standing on the bank with a going wish in her heart—a yearning for her kind.

Five years ago rabbits were so thick all over Alaska one could kill them with stones. Today not a one will be seen in a week's travel. Why, none can tell. Some say they were all frozen to death. And with the disappearance of the rabbits, the owls, eagles, wolves and other animals and birds they preyed on for food, have disappeared, and with the exception of the bear, the North Land woods are silent of animal and bird life—silent of any kind of life, depopulated, dead.

The next letter will be from Fort Yukon, north of the Arctic Circle, in the Land of the Midnight Sun.

MASON.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Swan of Bethel visited Mrs. Swan's mother, Mrs. S. C. Mills, a few days last week.

Ralph Cushing is driving team for Moron Morrill.

Martin Whitney of Sebago, Me., and A. B. Grover of Grover Hill were guests of S. O. Grover, Saturday.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of William W. Chase late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

LUCINDA H. CHASE,
Bethel, Maine

October 8th, 1917.
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A LEGEND OF MEXICO.

Origin of the Eagle and Serpent on Its Coat of Arms.

The coat of arms of the republic of Mexico, which occupies the center or white bar of the flag and consists of a beautiful device representing an eagle perched upon a cactus (what in Mexico is called nopal) devouring a serpent, is intimately connected with the history of the people. In the beginning of the fourteenth century the ancient Mexicans, or Aztecs, after wandering for a long time around the Mexican valley looking for a place to build their city, arrived after terrible sufferings and adventures on the southwestern border of Lake Tezcoco in 1325.

There they halted, for in front of them they beheld what naturally they considered an auspicious omen from their gods. An immense royal eagle of extraordinary size and beauty stood upon a cactus growing in the crevice of a rock washed by the waves of the lake. In its talons it held a serpent, and its broad, beautiful wings opened to the rising sun.

Obeying the mandate of their oracle that there they should build their city, they set to work, and by driving piles into the marshes with no other material at hand but frail reeds and rushes the foundations of the great Tenochtitlan, the chief city of the Aztecs and the site of the modern City of Mexico, were laid.—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE "ENTENTE CORDIALE."

Bismarck Once Gave a Striking Definition of the Term.

In the newspapers of today we very often find the words entente cordiale. Most readers understand the meaning of the expression, but it is rather difficult to make a translation that expresses the exact meaning of the original French. Prince Bismarck gave a good explanation when his daughter asked him what the entente cordiale really was.

"Well," he said, "it is not so easy to define literally. It means a cordial understanding, but it also has a little different significance. For example: You were in the courtyard this morning when I came from the garden with Nero. Diana was in the yard, gnawing a large bone. My Nero saw her and ran to seize the bone. Then there was a little fight, until I struck them a few sharp blows with my cane.

"After that the bone lay in the middle of the court, while both dogs stood off at some distance and looked eagerly at it. Each dog, in fact, was as anxious to keep the other away as he was afraid of my cane, and therefore neither ventured to seize it. You see, that is what they call in diplomatic circles an entente cordiale." — Youth's Companion.

Thirteenth Century Fire Prevention.

One wonders what fate would have overtaken the captured starter of fires in thirteenth century London, for after the blaze of 1212, which lasted ten days, swallowed up part of London bridge and was the cause of over 3,000 deaths, every precaution was taken against fires. For instance, all builders of houses were ordered to roof them with tiles, shingle boards or lead, and to stop an outbreak any house could be pulled down. Thus, Mr. H. B. Wheatley on the safeguards: "For the speedy removal of burning houses each ward was to provide a strong iron hook with a wooden handle, two chains and two strong cords, which were to be left with the bedel of the ward, who was also provided with a good horn 'loudly sounding.'" And, moreover, every householder was ordered to keep a barrel of water before his door.—London Standard.

Sinking of the Caspian Sea.

Geologists claim that the Caspian sea is continually sinking. Known to all schoolboys as the largest interior body of water in the world, the Caspian is about 730 miles in greatest length and 330 miles in extreme width. Its area is estimated to be 170,000 square miles, while the area of England and Wales is 58,000 odd square miles. These figures give a clear idea of the size of the Caspian. Notwithstanding its size, parts of the sea are very shallow. In the southern portions, however, a depth of over 3,000 feet has been registered. Our physical geography tells us that the present sea is part of a vast oceanic water which at one time extended to the Arctic ocean.—Westminster Gazette.

The One Speech M. P.

No member ever impressed the house of commons with his gift of silence more than General Forester. This sensible man represented Much Wenlock for forty-six years and never made a speech. One member, Sir Charles Burrell, sat for sixty years, restraining himself nobly. He made one speech only in order to introduce a bill providing that housemaids should be forbidden to clean windows from the outside.—London Chronicle.

Missed the Name.

Guest of the Doctor's (late home from the theater)—Hurry up, old chap, and let me in. Absentminded Doctor (who has forgotten all about his visitor)—Who are you? Guest—Mr. Trane. Doctor—Missed a train, have you? Well, catch the next.—London Mail.

Forcing the Prophet.

"I can prophesy with certainty that you will become engaged this year."

"Oh, that is understood! But prophesy to me at once a husband."—Fliegende Blatter.

Obstinacy is a parasite, living either on a strong will or on great stupidity.

SOUND BUSINESS MAXIMS.

Use Your Ability and Take No Stock in the Law of Chance.

Most men who have amounted to anything started with nothing but ability and determination, a combination which recognizes no man made limitations.

Any kind of work is better than idleness, which is directly responsible for most of the unhappiness in this world.

Idleness is a dangerous thing. It may grow into a habit that might stick to you after you get back in harness, and the man who loafs on his job is only fooling himself.

Eternal, intelligent effort is the price of commercial growth, and where there is no progression there is bound to be retrogression. Business is something like aeroplaning—to stop is to drop, and to drop is generally to bust.

If I had an enemy and wanted to get even with him I could wish him nothing worse than to land in a soft job and get the loafing habit. It would only be a question of time before he or the job petered out, and the longer he held on the worst off he'd be in the end, for there is a law of compensation which somehow or other makes us work in old age for the time we waste in youth or suffer if we can't make good.

Pin your faith to this law of compensation, but don't take any stock in the law of chance; there's no such thing. Waiting for something to turn up in the belief that things are bound to come your way eventually is throwing dice with fate. Many a good dog never got a decent bone until his teeth were gone.—Maurice Switzer in Leslie's.

GOLF WITH ANY OLD CLUB.

He Was a Shy Man, Too, but Surprised the Clever Amateur.

He was standing looking idly round him when I came forward to the starting tee at Blackhill golf course, a little dapper man, whom any one would have guessed could not play for nuts. Perhaps that latter idea is what caused me to ask if he meant to play a round. I should love to give somebody a proper whacking.

"I would like a round," he said, almost shyly, "but I have no clubs." This was not a chance to be missed. I would let him use mine. How pleased he was in his simple way. Any old club would do for every shot. "Well, well," I crooned to myself; "if the man is out for a thorough drubbing I am the last to deny him it."

He took a dirty ball from his pocket, made an easy sort of swipe at it, and I have never seen a ball so eager to get to the hole as that one was. His method of attack seemed to consist of one or two iron shots and a putt. I will vouch for it that he deliberately allowed me to win a hole or two. I have never felt so completely humiliated in all my life, yet he was quiet, inoffensive and almost shy.

"You are a brilliant golfer," I gushed as we made for the nineteenth hole. "Oh, ay, I ha'e to be!" he said quietly. "It's my work, ye see; it's my work!"

Why don't those professionals try to look more like real golfers?—Glasgow News.

Mules and War.

Along all the frontiers of the world wherever there is a war there is a demand for the mule. Compared with him the much vaunted war horse is a vanishing figment of the past. His strength, his sureness of foot, his wariness of eye, his ability to endure hardship and hard work on little food and with little care, have made him invaluable as a campaigner, whether in deserts or mountains. The mule has seen the camel and the elephant disappear from armies. He may see the horse vanish. He has seen the motorcycle and the motorcar come in. He may see the aeroplanes numbered by thousands. But it is not likely he will ever see himself superseded in his own line of work. There may be mules without war, but probably never a war without mules.—New York World.

A Chip of the Old Block.

"Father," said the student, "I want to talk to you about changing my course of study."

"Talk to your mother, son," directed the father, who was reading the sporting page.

"Mother," said the son, "I made a mistake when I elected chemistry. But it is not too late to change even yet. I want to take astronomy instead."

The mother searched the eyes of her son sharply. Then she said:

"Nope. You'll have to think up some better excuse for staying out at night!"—New York Globe.

Tantalus.

Tantalus was a king of Lydia in Greek mythology and is represented by the poets as punished in hades with an insatiable thirst and placed up to the chin in a pool of water, which disappeared when he attempted to taste it, and other tantalizing punishments were inflicted for his sins.

The Poor Man.

She—They say girls can't throw straight, but when a girl throws sly glances I notice she generally hits the mark. He (recently bitten)—Yes—the easy mark.—Boston Herald.

Up to Us.

"The human race is dying out."

"Let posterity worry over that."

"How aggravating you are, Maltravers! There won't be any posterity."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Caution is the lower story of prudence.—Carlyle.

THE TOMB OF TUSITULA.

Samoan Natives Keep Stevenson's Grave Buried In Flowers.

It was in December, 1894, that Stevenson died at Vailima, near Apia, on the island of Upolu, in the Samoan group. Lovers of this quaint character—the modern who was an ancient, the ancient who was a modern, the contemporary who became a classic because he translated new things into thoughts for all time—will be glad to know that since then he has slept in a distant grave, but not in a neglected one. For the natives of that island keep his tomb on the lonely mountainside fragrant with flowers. "The tomb of Tusitula," they call it—that was the great Scot's Samoan name.

Stevenson went to live in Samoa in 1887. He was a comparatively young man, but he had seen the vanities of the world, and, captivated by the climate, the scenery, and the kindly character of the natives, he at once determined to live out whatever space of life might remain to him in that fortunate island. And there he did live for seven years. Long ere he died he wrote his own epitaph, and that epitaph is graved on the brass tablet that was put there in 1895:

> Under the wide and starry sky
> Dig the grave and let me lie.
> Glad did I live and gladly die
> And laid me down with a will.
> This be the verse that you grave for me:
> "Here he lies where he longed to be.
> Home is the sailor, home from the sea,
> And the hunter home from the hill."

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

TROGLODYTES OF TRIPOLI.

They Live Underground, Some of Them Never Seeing Daylight.

In the region of Gharian, in the hinterland of Tripoli, there is an invisible town with 7,000 inhabitants. This city of the Troglodytes was visited by Miss Ethel Braun and is described by her in her book, "The New Tripoli."

This city is excavated out of rock and earth. Its inhabitants live underground, some of them never coming to the surface. "The richer ones," writes Miss Braun, "are born in these dim dwellings, never leaving them until they are carried out to be buried." The rich families have, however, one reception room over the ground at a height of six or seven feet.

Describing the Troglodyte prison, Miss Braun tells of an Italian lady's experience while visiting the female prisoners.

"They had never seen a European woman before and asked her to take off her hat. No sooner had she done so that in a twinkling all her hairpins were pulled out, to be kept as souvenirs by the women, who looked upon them as most precious mementos."

The friendly Troglodytes made Arab tea for Miss Braun, "shai, as it is called, made with powdered tea and much, very much, sugar, so that it tastes just like a sirup," and they were very excited at the event of her visit.

Caring For the Piano.

One of those popular fellows who can sit down at a piano and play accompaniments to songs, even when the "music" is not forthcoming, happened to be in a little village recently when a concert was almost stuck through the pianist disappointing at the last minute. Our friend, says the Glasgow News, came to the rescue and got the company out of its difficulty, but inwardly he applied to the instrument adjectives which would shock even George Bernard Shaw. After the performance the caretaker (a "lady") was covering up for the night, and the player mentioned to her that the piano was very much in need of attention but she scouted the idea. "Why," said she, "I went over it myself this morning and scrubbed every part of it, keys and all."

Her Candlestine Courtship.

The servant was discussing her latest love affair with a mistress, who was humane enough to be interested.

"Well," said the mistress, "since you've been going out with him for months, I think it's quite time he took you to see his parents."

"I've been telling him so, ma'am. Only last Sunday I said to him, 'Herbert, I'm not going to be courted in this candlestine way any longer.'"

It was some time, says the Manchester Guardian, before the mistress' puzzled brain understood that "candlestine" and "clandestine" were synonymous.

Love of the Forest.

The only way to love the forest is to stay in it until you have learned its pathless travel, growth and inhabitants as you know the fields. You must begin at the gate and find your way slowly, else you will not hear the great secret and see the compelling vision. There are trees you never before have seen, flowers and vines the botanists fail to mention and such music as your ears cannot hear elsewhere.—Gene Stratton Porter.

Knew He Was Safe.

"You seem to be going home in a very cheerful manner for a man who has been out all night."

"Yes. You see, my wife is an amateur elocutionist, and she's saving her voice for an entertainment tomorrow night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Deduction.

Maude—How old is Grace? May—At least twenty-five. Maude—How do you know? May—I heard her say that no girl ought to marry before she was twenty-six.—Cleveland Leader.

He that rises again quickly and continues the race is as if he had never fallen.—Molinos.

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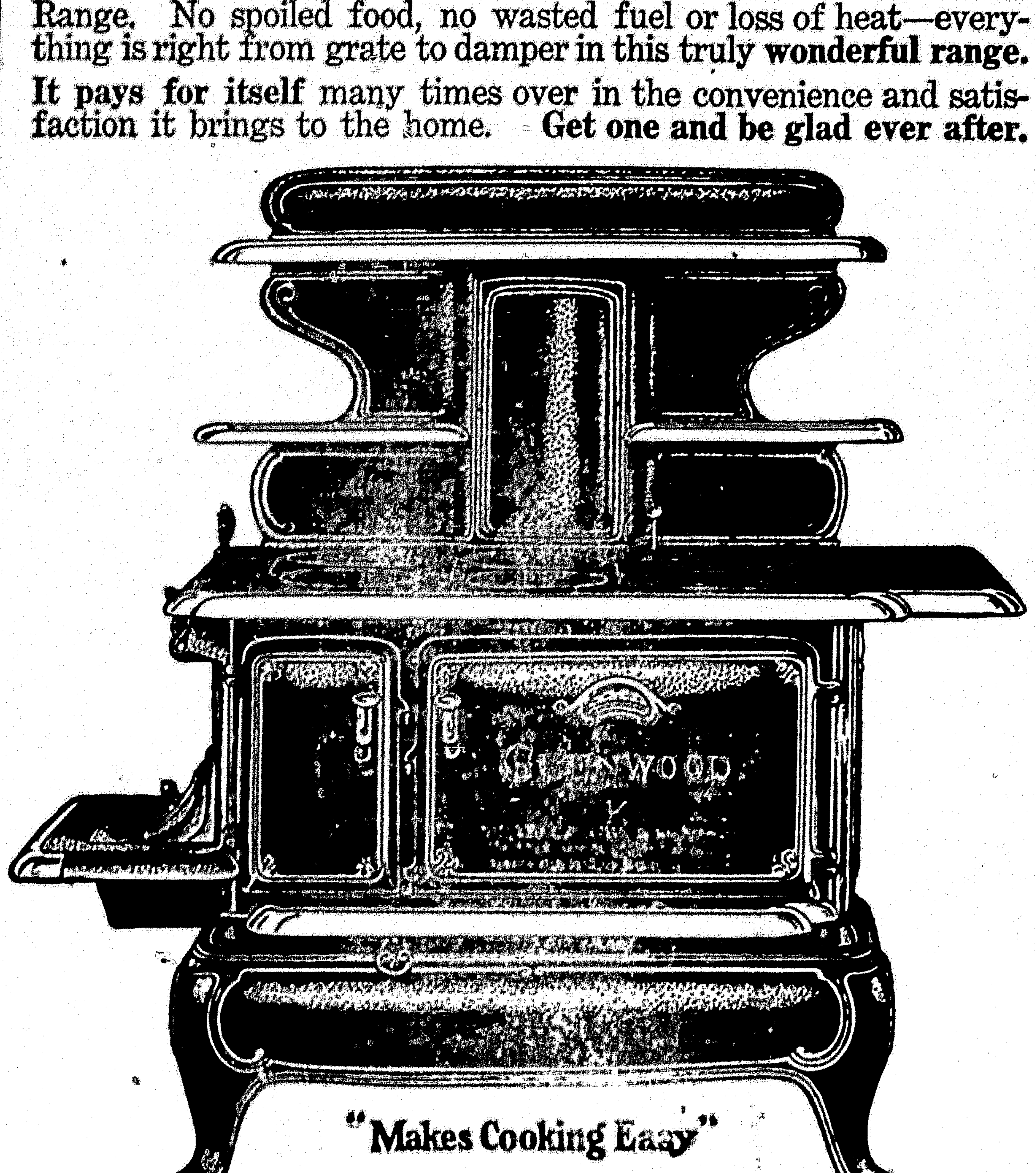

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Bethel

There were some animals outside the hall—the herd of Holstein cattle owned by [illegible] Merrill, and many other animals belonging to him and other people, also there were many breeds of poultry.

Dinner was served at the Grange Hall at fifty cents a plate. Many of our most prominent people of the county were [illegible], and ate on the lawns which seemed to be much pleasanter.

In the afternoon there was horse pulling at the upper end of the town. Some of these were hardier, cattle [illegible]. Some had [illegible] races, and some [illegible]. This gathered a large crowd.

There was a Red Cross tent exhibiting Sweaters, Mufflers, Wristlets and several other useful things for the War.

The Bethel Band furnished music [illegible]. [illegible] sang the "Star Spangled Banner."

Many bright colors were worn by both young and old.

Some of the people sat in their cars and watched others walk about. They seemed to be very comfortable.

This is the third fair that has been held at West Bethel. I hope there will be another fair held there next year as nice as this one was. If there is, I hope our teachers and Superintendent will give us a day to go. So both teachers and scholars can enjoy it.

NOTICE.

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CITIZEN OFFICE.

AMERICAN RED CROSS.

To all Organizations of the New England Division:

It is evident from the persistency of the rumors which are being circulated regarding our selling sweaters, etc. that a very strong propaganda is being carried on in an attempt to discredit the Red Cross and thereby cripple its effectiveness. These rumors emanate simultaneously from too many different parts of the country to be merely accidental and must be combated. Investigation has been made of every rumor that has so far been called to the attention of this office and you are hereby authorized and directed to deny flatly as untruthful and groundless any rumor of the above mentioned nature.

The reputation and the standing of the American Red Cross in your locality are in your hands and it is your duty to bring the truth to the people of your community, both by personal effort and through the local press. It is absolutely necessary for every loyal member of the Red Cross to assist in crushing this systematic and subtle propaganda. Any further rumors should be immediately reported to this office, together with information as to their source.

The American Red Cross has no secrets to hide. It is making a sincere effort to serve mankind and is doing so as carefully and economically as it knows how. Its accounts are to be audited by the War Department and the utmost effort is being made to give the widest publicity to all its activities.

James Jackson, Division Manager.

AMERICANS GIVE POILUS THEIR WARM SWEATERS.

Freezing threatens the convalescing wounded in France if American women do not make the millions of sweaters, mufflers, socks and wristlets needed by the Red Cross.

Already the cold, raw days are causing misery, according to official reports from Red Cross workers near the battle lines. One wrote the national headquarters:

"You have sent us blankets, bed coverings, sweaters, warm underwear, by the thousands, but our shelves today are almost empty.

"Every fighting man or convalescent, practically, needs a sweater, and yet the dearth of them has become so serious that those organizations who buy their supplies here simply cannot get them. Ours have all been sold out.

"One morning we were allowed to go to the Gare du Nord to see the soldiers starting for the front. We had with us several warm sweaters in case we saw any without sufficient clothing. It was a cold, raw morning, and a good many looked very miserable. We asked if they had any underwear on and they showed us their bare chests under their cotton shirts. We gave away as many sweaters as we had, the men then and there throwing off their coats and putting them over their poor, thin shirts.

"Several members of Pershing's overseas expedition were with us, and when they saw the men marching to the front without sweaters they did what was to be expected of an American—gave away their sweaters. In less time than it takes to tell it, several of the Sammies had skinned out of their sweaters and were assisting the Frenchmen to don them. It was touching to see their gratitude.

"All the men whom we saw going had been to the front and were in Paris on leave or going back from the hospital. Some of them looked hardly fit to go. They were not gay, but they were not downcast; they were just quiet and looked like men going to a serious task.

"Outside the barrier were many heartbreaking scenes of parting from the wives and children, but once inside the line they dried their tears and came forward with calm to where we were standing to receive their little gifts and the last cup of coffee before getting into the train."

GRANGE NEWS.

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NORWAY GRANGE.

Norway Grange met Oct. 13th in regular session. Meeting called to order at 2 p. m. by Worthy Master G. W. Richardson. Opening exercises. Opening song "Work for the Night Is Coming," Sister Addie Holt at the piano. Minutes of last meeting read and several matters of business were discussed, and disposed of. Mrs. Alice Marston was appointed Librarian. G. W. Richardson, Mrs. Alice Marston and Mrs. A. E. K. Grover were appointed to look after the purchasing of a book case. A change in the date of the Grange Fair will be announced by the committee.

The dinner committee for the "Harvest Feast," to be served on Oct. 27, after the degree work, and an anniversary as well, [illegible] with the letter H [illegible] the rest of the alphabet, Lillian [illegible] chairman. The literary program was taken up which included Song, "There Is No Golden Harvest." Grange Chorus

Reading, "The Battle of the Farmer," (National Grange Monthly).

Ruth Noble

Tributes to Flora, Pomona and Ceres were given by each member present in quotations from Longfellow, Whittier, Bryant, Abraham Lincoln and others. These were fittingly responded by the "Goddesses," in a gracious manner.

Topic, "The two roads of the Grange," Discussed by F. P. Towne leading the discussion, followed by a number of others.

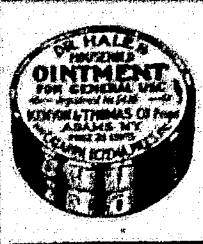
The Worthy Lecturer read an extract from the National Grange Monthly pertinent to the subject, Seed Saving, was very generally responded to, and it seems that all are intensely interested in seed saving which augurs well for crops in 1918.

The Standard feature was responded to by F. P. Towne on general outlook.

Minutes read, and the meeting closed in form.

It is expected that Hon. J. A. Roberts, Commissioner of Agriculture, and E. H. Libby, Secretary of Maine State Grange, will be present at the meeting of Oct. 27 as speakers of the day.

It is with exceeding regret that the members of Norway Grange learned of the "going away" of Brother Frank Danforth, a highly esteemed and valued friend and patron.



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